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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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KOU EI HATADE et al.

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BEAM-SHAPING OPTICAL ELEMENT AND METHOD AND PROGRAM FOR DESIGNING
THE SAME

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please
amend the above-identified application as follows: